IS DOING FRESH **OREGON**

Absurd Conspiracy in Columbia Falls Through.

President Reyes Cables Consul General at New York That Conspiracy is of Little Importance and the Conspirators Are Now in Prison.

New York, Dec. 23,-Luis E. Bonilla, consul-general of Colombia, yesterday addressed the press as follows:

Sir: Kindly give publicity to the following important cablegram from his excellency, General Rafael Reyes, presipeople in Colombia desire peace at any

"Bogota, Dec. 21, 1965. Colombian consequence whatever. Country quiet. Peace secured. Ex- political discontents belonging to the G. Shedd as sureties.

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"(Signed), REYES,"

Enrique Perez, editor of The Pan-American Review, also made public a communication in which, after referring to the report that an attempt had been made at Bogota to dispose of President Reyes, he says:

"I am in a position to learn that what dent of Colombia, in order that the true took place in the City of Bogota on the condition of the country may be known 20th inst., was simply a ridiculous conand confidence in the peace of Colom- spiracy, discovered in time, and without bis assured. President Reyes is well any serious consequences. The conespable of maintaining order throughout spiracy did not have the importance will and possessing wonderful activity. State Department. There is not the Moreover, the large majority of the slightest probability of a revolution in Colombia and despatches received from

change lowering from five to three, party or the family of the defeated can didate in the last presidential election, there is no foundation for the report as it has appeared."

FIELD LEAVES WILL.

Chicago, Dec. 23.-Marshall Field Jr., who died recently of wounds caused by the accidental discharge of a pistol left a will, and yesterday letters of administration were granted to Arthur D. Jones and Stanley Field. Marshall Field Sr., was appointed guardian over his the country, being a man of indomitable given to it by the correspondent of the three grandchildren, Marshal Field III, Henry Feld, ten years old, and Gwendolyn Field, four years old. The personal estate is valued at \$1,450,000 and cost. The cablegram reads as follows: Bogota explain the occurrence as of no the real estate at \$75,000. The direct supervision of the estate will fall on Consul, New York: Absurd conspiracy "While there may have been some Stanley Field and Mr. Jones. Bonds discovered! Those responsible for it in local political excitement due to the were furnished to the amount of \$2,prison. Will be judged by courtmartial, lack of patriotism of a handful of 000,000 with Marshall Field and John

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Commercials - Fullabek, Abercombie; center, Cherry,

Portland - Corbett, left half; B Bailey, right half; Callavan, quarterback; M. Bailey, fullback; Owens, center; D. Jordan and Butler, guards; Duvall and Banfield, tackles; McKenna and Behrens, ends; subs, W. Jodon, Peterson and Burrows.

NO SURRENDER.

Typothetae Printing Shops Will Not Yet Give in to Typographical Union.

Chicago, Dec. 23,-Any possibility of surrender of Typothetae printing shops Violet to the Typographical unions in January Pistachio was removed when the following notice was posted in twenty-six of the strikebound establishments:

"To allay any apprehension or fears on the part of our composing room employes as to our position on the open shop after January 1, 1906, the undersigned members of the Chicago Typothese reiterate that our shops will be conducted as open shops after January l, 1906, fifty-four hours constituting a week's work and that under no circumstances will we entertain any proposition from Typographical Union No. 16 Etc., etc., etc., to the contrary.

"All employes in our service are hereby assured of permanent positions as long as they continue to fulfill their duties satisfactorily."

PORTLAND ASHORE.

Seattle, Dec. 23 .- The steamer Port land is ashore on Spire Island, 9 miles from Ketchikan. She is leaking badly, and is perhaps a total loss. The waters are now above the boilers. The passengers were removed to Ketchikan in small boats. It is thought the ship struck in a dense fog. She was en route from Valdez to Seward

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